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H. Butler

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Knut IRGUM et al.

Confirmation No. 1048

Serial No. 09/831,162

GROUP 1723

Filed May 7, 2001

Examiner E. Therkorn

CHROMATOGRAPHY METHOD AND A
COLUMN MATERIAL USEFUL IN SAID
METHOD

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 20, 2002,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Make of record the accompanying copies of the
references requested by the Examiner in the Official Action.

The client advises that the article Small, H. Ion
Chromatography, Plenum Press; New York, 1989, 27, 1734-1742 has
been omitted as it is a general reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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